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Mike Cockrell
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Mr. Cockrell:

In recognition of Sanderson Farms, Inc.'s recent announcement[1] regarding the use of medically important antibiotics in its chicken operations, and the conversation we had with you and Joe Sanderson, Jr. subsequent to the announcement, in which Mr. Sanderson stated that the company's policy disallows the use of *any* antibiotics important to human medicine except for the treatment and control of diagnosed illness as overseen by a veterinarian, *As You Sow* withdraws our shareholder resolution.

While Sanderson's press announcement specifically calls only for the elimination of the two medically important antibiotics currently used for prevention on Sandersons' chicken farms -- gentamicin and virginiamycin – we are relying on your further elucidation as described above. If your policy is different than our understanding as set forth above, please let us know.

We appreciate the company's action on this issue and look forward to seeing updates to investors regarding the implementation and impact of this program following the March 1, 2019 effective date.

Sincerely,

Danielle Fugere
President
As You Sow

[1] http://ir.sandersonfarms.com/news-releases/news-release-details/sanderson-farms-inc-announces-change-antibiotic-use-program